

COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

increasing for the second time the Community tariff
quota opened for 1979 by Regulation (EEC) No 2470/78
for certain plywoods of coniferous species falling
within heading No ex 44.15 of the common customs tariff

(submitted by the Commission to the Council)

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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Regulations (EEC) Nº 2470/78 of 16 October 1978 (1) and 1738/79 of 3 August 1979 (2) opened for 1979 for certain plywoods of coniferous species a Community tariff quota which was subject to review in the course of the year. The quantity was 800.000 m3.

This review was carried out on 5 October 1979. It emerged from consultation with the Member States that additional requirements will be in the region of 15.000 m3.

This proposition is intended to introduce the increase, by means of increasing the Community reserve to which all Member States which have used up their initial share have access.

(1) OJ Nº L 297 of 24.10.1978, p.3.

(2) OJ Nº L 200 of 8.8.1979, p. 5.

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community, and in particular Articles 28
and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

1738/79(2) Member Whereas, by Regulations (EEC) Nos 2470/78 (1) and 1738/79 (2), the Council opened and allocated among the States, for certain plywoods of coniferous species falling within heading No ex 44.15 of the Common Customs Tariff, a Community tariff quota with zero duty, the volume of which was fixed at a level of 800 000 cubic metres;

Whereas, on the basis of the most recent data on these products for 1979, it may be estimated that the additional imports from non-member countries required by the Community could reach 15.000 cubic metres; whereas

it is necessary to increase the quota by 15.000 cubic metres in order to take into account the said immediate requirements; whereas, in order to safeguard the Community

character of the tariff quota in question, the proposed increase should be added to the Community reserve set up under the abovementioned Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The volume of the Community tariff quota opened by Regulation (EEC) No 2470/78 and 1738/79 for certain plywoods of coniferous species falling within heading No ex 44.15 of the Common Customs Tariff is hereby increased from 800 000 to 815 000 cubic metres.

2. This increase of cubic metres shall be added to the reserve set up by virtue of Article 2 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2470/78, and increased by Regulation (EEC) No 1738/79, which is thus increased from 130 000 to 145 000 cubic metres.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels,

For the Council

The President

(1) OJ N° L 297, 24.10.1978, p. 3

(2) OJ N° L 200, 8.8.1979, p. 5

1. Ligne budgétaire concernée : Chap. 12 art. 120

2. Base juridique :

3. Intitulé de la mesure tarifaire :

Proposition de règlement du Conseil portant augmentation du volume du contingent tarifaire communautaire ouvert en 1979 pour certains bois contre-plaqués de conifères, de la position ex 44.15 du tarif douanier commun.

4. Objectif : Assurer la couverture des besoins de la Communauté en produits de l'espèce.

5. Mode de calcul :

- N° du T.D.C. : ex 44.19
- Volume du/des contingent(s) : 15.000 m³
- Droits à appliquer : 0 %
- Droits du T.D.C. : 13 %

6. Perte de recettes :

Valeur au m³ : 188,14 UCE

Valeur des 15.000 m³ = 2.822.100 UCE

Perte de recettes = $2.822.100 \text{ UCE} \times \frac{13}{100} = 366.873 \text{ UCE}$

